

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently Amended) A recording station, comprising:
an interface, said interface allowing initiation of functions of said recording station;
a drive ~~capable of receiving~~ configured to receive a recordable media having content recorded thereon;
a converter ~~capable of converting~~ configured to convert said content recorded on said recordable media to another format; and
a transceiver ~~capable of transferring~~ configured to transfer said content converted to another format to a memory of a portable player;
wherein said converter is actuated via a button located on said interface.
2. (Canceled)
3. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 1, wherein said recordable media is at least one of a compact disc, a mini-disc, a laser disc, or a digital video disc.
4. (Canceled)
5. (Currently Amended) The recording station as claimed in claim 1, wherein said transceiver is ~~capable of transferring~~ configured to transfer said converted content to said portable player through at least one of: a hardwire connection or a wireless connection.
6. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a docking station capable of coupling to said portable player, said docking station further capable of recharging said portable player and transferring said content

converted to another format to said portable player when said portable player is coupled to said docking station.

7. (Currently Amended) The recording station as claimed in claim 1, further comprising a second drive ~~capable of receiving~~ configured to receive a second recordable media, wherein said content converted to another format is transferred to said second recordable media in said second drive.

8. (Original) The recording station as claimed in claim 1, wherein said content converted to another format is in accordance with MP3 compression standards.

9. through 14. (Canceled)

15. (Currently Amended) A recording station, comprising:
an interface, said interface allowing initiation of functions of said recording station;

a drive ~~capable of receiving~~ configured to receive a recordable media;

a converter ~~capable of converting~~ configured to convert said content recorded on said recordable media to another format; and

a docking station ~~capable of coupling~~ configured to couple to a portable player, said docking station ~~capable of recharging~~ configured to recharge said portable player and ~~transferring~~ transfer converted content to a memory of said portable player when said portable player is coupled to said docking station wherein said converter is actuated via a button located on said interface.

16. (Canceled)

17. (Canceled)

18. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 15, wherein said recordable media is at least one of a compact disc, a mini-disc, a laser disc, or a digital video disc.

19. (Canceled)

20. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 15, wherein said content converted to another format is in accordance with MP3 compression standards.

21. (Canceled)

22. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 15, wherein said docking station is capable of transferring said content stored on said recordable media to said portable player through at least one of: a hardwire connection or a wireless connection.

23. (Currently Amended) A recording station, comprising:
an interface, said interface allowing initiation of functions of said recording station;

a drive ~~capable of receiving~~ configured to receive a recordable media having content recorded thereon;

a network interface, said network interface receiving content information;

a converter ~~capable of converting~~ configured to convert said content recorded on said recordable media to another format; and

a transceiver ~~capable of transferring~~ configured to transfer said content converted to another format to a memory of a portable player wherein said converter is actuated via a button located on said interface.

24. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 23, wherein said recordable media is at least one of a compact disc, a mini-disc, a laser disc, or a digital video disc.

25. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 23, wherein said transceiver is capable of transferring said converted content to said portable player through at least one of: a hardwire connection or a wireless connection.

26. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 23, further comprising a docking station capable of coupling to said portable player, said docking station further capable of recharging said portable player and transferring said content converted to another format to said portable player when said portable player is coupled to said docking station.

27. (Previously Presented) The recording station as claimed in claim 23, further comprising a second drive capable of receiving a second recordable media, wherein said content converted to another format is transferred to said second recordable media in said second drive.

28. (Currently Amended) The recording station as claimed in claim 23 [[1]], wherein said content converted to another format is in accordance with MP3 compression standards.